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RADIOPAQUE IMPLANTABLE COLLAGENOUS

BIOMATERIAL DEVICE

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Madam:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 9, 2009, please enter the following.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any extensions of time as well as any additional fees or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 23-3030, but not to include any payment of issue fees.